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In re application of:

Sean C. Semple, et al.

Application No.: 09/122,588

Filed: July 23, 1998

For: LIPSOMAL COMPOSITIONS FOR THE DELIVERY OF NUCLEIC ACID CATALYSTS

Box AF Assistant Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision dated June 5, 2000 rejecting claims 62-83.

A Petition to extend time to respond:

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